

April 3, 2006

Dear Transmission Customers and Other Interested Parties:

Enclosed is the Integrated System (IS) Transmission and Ancillary Services Rate Calculation which will be effective May 1, 2006. The rates are as follows:

<u>Service</u>	<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Rate</u>
Network Transmission	UGP-NT1	Load-ratio share of 1/12 of the Annual Revenue Requirement for IS Transmission Service of \$129,080,508.
Firm Point-to-Point Transmission	UGP-FPT1	Maximum of \$2.75/kWmonth
Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission	UGP-NFPT1	Maximum of 3.77 mills/kWh
Scheduling, System Control and Dispatch	UGP-AS1	\$47.97/schedule/day
Reactive Supply and Voltage Control from Generation Sources	UGP-AS2	\$0.07/kWmonth
Regulation and Frequency Response	UGP-AS3	\$0.05/kWmonth
Energy Imbalance	UGP-AS4	For negative excursions outside of 3 percent bandwidth, the Upper Great Plains Region reserves the right to charge 100 mills/kWh. Positive excursions outside the bandwidth will be lost to the system.
Spinning/Supplemental Reserves	UGP-AS5 and 6	\$0.12/kWmonth of customer load

The IS Transmission Loss Factor effective May 1, 2006, is 4 percent and unchanged from the previous 2-year period.

If you have any questions concerning the IS Transmission and Ancillary Services Rate Calculation, please telephone Lloyd Linke at (605) 882-7500.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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Record Note: The 2005 IS rates (Docket No. EF05-5031-000) have not been approved or confirmed by FERC as of the date of this letter.